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Security Council

11.30 a.m.	6420th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 6 (NLB)

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, Sections A and B

United Nations Mission in the Sudan

3 p.m.	6421st meeting	Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Letter dated 8 November 2010 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2010/575)

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

10 a.m.	48th plenary meeting	General Assembly Hall

1. Notification by the Secretary-General under Article 12, paragraph 2, of the Charter of the United Nations: note by the Secretary-General (A/65/300) [110]
2. Report of the Security Council (A/65/2); and Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters [29 and 119]

Joint debate

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

There will be informal consultations on the scope, modalities, format and organization of the high level meeting on the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases on Monday, 15 November 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

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General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

There will be an informal meeting convened by the co-facilitators of the Human Rights Council review on Monday, 15 November 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB), to hear a briefing on the first meeting of the Open-ended Intergovernmental Working Group on the Review of the Work and Functioning of the Human Rights Council, which took place from 25 to 29 October in Geneva. Member States are encouraged to attend at the ambassadorial level.

Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Monday, 15 November 2010, at 10.15 a.m. in the Security Council Chamber GA-ISC-01, in connection with the agenda item "Briefings by Chairmen of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council". Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should contact the Secretariat (tel. 1 (212) 963-5258; room TB-08083; fax 1 (212) 963-4213), from 9.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Delegations are also kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*.

Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

There will be an informal meeting (closed) of the plenary on Tuesday, 16 November 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB), on the outcome G-20 Summit in Seoul, Republic of Korea. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 9 November 2010, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

Since the programme of work of plenary meetings (A/INF/65/3) was issued, the following changes have been made:

Consideration of agenda item 69 and its sub-items (a) to (d) (Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance), which was scheduled for Monday, 15 November 2010, has been postponed to a later date to be announced.

A specific meeting focused on development under agenda item 115 (Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit), scheduled to take place on Monday, 22 November 2010, has been postponed to a date in the resumed session, to be announced.

The dates for the consideration of reports of the Main Committees will be announced in the *Journal* as soon as they are decided.

General Assembly

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Main Committees

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

3–6 p.m. 23rd meeting Conference Room 2 (NLB)

1. Effects of atomic radiation (A/65/46 and A/65/46/Add.1) [49]

   Action on draft resolution A/C.4/65/L.6

2. Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly [118]

   Action on draft decision A/C.4/65/L.7

3. United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (A/65/13, A/65/283, A/65/311, A/65/225 and A/65/551) [51]

   Introduction of the report of the Working Group on the Financing of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (A/65/551)

   Address by the Director for Administrative Support of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East

[Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and Permanent Observers at <https://4thcommittee.unlb.org>. For inquiries regarding user names and passwords, kindly contact Mr. Dino Del Vasto (e-mail del-vasto@un.org). Any delegation wishing to be included in the Committee mailing list is kindly requested to send an e-mail to lembo@un.org.]

Third Committee

10 a.m.–1 p.m. 44th meeting Conference Room 4 (NLB)

1. Report of the Human Rights Council [63]

   Action on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.59

2. Right of peoples to self-determination [67]

   Action on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.51

3. Promotion and protection of human rights [68]

   (a) Implementation of human rights instruments

   Action on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.25/Rev.1

   (b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

   Action on draft resolutions A/C.3/65/L.27 and A/C.3/65/L.36/Rev.1

3–6 p.m. 45th meeting Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Promotion and protection of human rights [68]

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.23/Rev.1 and amendments thereto contained in documents A/C.3/65/L.61, A/C.3/65/L.62 and A/C.3/65/L.63

Fifth Committee

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:
Agenda item 140 (Administration of justice at the United Nations (A/65/373, A/65/373/Corr.1, A/65/303, A/65/557, A/65/304, A/C.5/65/9 and A/65/568))

3–6 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:
Agenda item 134 (Human resources management (A/65/305, A/65/305/Add.1, A/65/305/Add.2, A/65/305/Add.3, A/65/305/Add.4, A/65/350, A/65/350/Add.1, A/65/332, A/65/202, A/65/213, A/64/352, A/64/230, A/64/267, A/65/180, A/64/269, A/65/343, A/64/316, A/65/537, A/64/518, A/65/345 and A/65/345/Add.1))

Sixth Committee

10 a.m.–1 p.m. 28th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country (A/65/26) [161]

Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country [161]

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/65/L.11

United Nations Programme of Assistance in the teaching, study, dissemination, and wider appreciation of international law [78]

Action on draft resolution A/C.6/65/L.16

The scope and application of universal jurisdiction [86]

Action on draft resolution A/C.6/65/L.18

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [84]

Action on draft resolution A/C.6/65/L.12

The rule of law at the national and international levels [85]

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/65/L.17

Measures to eliminate international terrorism [107]

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/65/L.19

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its sixty-second session [79]

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Programme planning [130]

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly [118]

Introduction of and action on draft decision A/C.6/65/L.21

Election of the officers of the Main Committees [5]

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

1. Special political missions – UNAMA
2. Executive meeting

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund

Informal consultation

The Executive Board of UNDP and of UNFPA will hold an informal consultation *today*, 11 November 2010, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB), on the evaluation of UNDP contribution to strengthening local governance; and evaluation on UNDP contribution to disaster prevention and recovery. All interested delegations are invited to attend.

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

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General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (under agenda item 69 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room A (NLB)

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Sustained, inclusive and equitable economic growth for poverty reduction and achievement of the Millennium Development Goals" (under agenda item 13) (convened by the delegations of the Republic of Korea and Thailand)

10–11.30 a.m. Closed meeting . . . . . Permanent Mission of the Republic of Korea (335 East 45th Street)

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/65/L.6, entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Collective Security Treaty Organization" (under agenda item 122 (f)) (convened by the delegation of the Russian Federation)

3–5 p.m. Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room A (NLB)

Second Committee

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.7, entitled "Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development" (under agenda item 19) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Permanent Mission of Mexico (Two United Nations Plaza, 28th Floor)

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.27, entitled "International Strategy for Disaster Reduction" (under agenda item 20 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Poland)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.33, entitled "Protection of global climate for present and future generations of humankind" (under agenda item 20 (d)) (convened by the delegation of Singapore)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Informal "informal" consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its eleventh special session" (under agenda item 20 (g)) (convened by the delegation of Serbia)

10–11.30 a.m. Closed meeting UNEP Office (Two United Nations Plaza, Room DC2-803)

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.6, entitled "External debt sustainability and development" (under agenda item 18 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Suriname)

1.15–2.45 p.m. Closed meeting Permanent Mission of Suriname (866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 320)

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.35, entitled "Global Code of Ethics for Tourism" (under agenda item 20) (convened by the delegation of Honduras)

1.15–2.45 p.m. Closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.11, entitled "Industrial development cooperation" (under agenda item 24 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Cameroon)

1.15–2.45 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C (NLB)

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.34, entitled "International cooperation to reduce the impact of the El Niño phenomenon" (under agenda item 20 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Luxembourg)

1.15–2.45 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.32, entitled "Cooperative measures to assess and increase awareness of environmental effects related to waste originating from chemical munitions dumped at sea" (under agenda item 20) (convened by the delegation of Guyana)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.18, entitled "Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development" (under agenda item 20 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Romania)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room B (NLB)

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.3, entitled "International financial system and development" (under agenda item 18 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Switzerland)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Permanent Mission of Finland (866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 222)

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.23, entitled "International migration and development" (under agenda item 22 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Suriname)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Permanent Mission of Suriname (866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 320)

Informal "informal" consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Implementation of the Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty" (under agenda item 24 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Algeria)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 1 (NLB)

Third Committee

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.21, entitled "Rights of the child" (under agenda item 64 (a)) (convened by the delegations of Uruguay (on behalf of the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States) and Belgium (on behalf of the European Union))

9.30 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C (NLB)

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.22, entitled "Indigenous issues" (under agenda item 65 (a) and (b)) (convened by the delegation of the Plurinational State of Bolivia)

1.15–2.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 1 (NLB)

Informal consultations on draft resolutions A/C.3/65/L.54, entitled "Use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination" (under agenda item 67); A/C.3/65/L.42, entitled "Right to food"; A/C.2/65/L.45, entitled "Promotion of a democratic and equitable international order"; and A/C.3/65/L.44, entitled "Promotion of peace as a vital requirement for the full enjoyment of all human rights by all" (under agenda item 68 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Cuba)

1.15–2.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room A (NLB)

Meeting of the co-sponsors of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.29, entitled "Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions" (under agenda item 68 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Finland)

1.15–2.45 p.m. Closed meeting Permanent Mission of Finland (866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 222)

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.11, entitled "Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly" (under agenda item 27 (a)) (convened by the delegation of South Africa (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China))

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C (NLB)

Other meetings

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Thursday, 11 November 2010

Group of 77 (on Second Committee draft resolutions)

10 a.m.–1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room D (NLB)
1–3 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room D (NLB)
3–6 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of 77 (on matters related to oceans and the law of the sea)

1.15–2.30 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building)

UNITAR orientation course on the Security Council for members of the Council

10 a.m.–1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building)

OIC Group (at the ambassadorial level)

11 a.m.–1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 1 (NLB)

African Group (Third Committee experts)

1.15–2.30 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 3 (NLB)

Other activities

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Thursday, 11 November 2010

Briefing and informal discussion on "Potential legal issues for small island nations arising from climate impacts" (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Marshall Islands)

From 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Caleb Christopher, Permanent Mission of the Marshall Islands (e-mail rmi_un@yahoo.com; tel. 1 (212) 983-3040).]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Thursday, 11 November 2010

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

12 noon — Press briefing by the Spokesperson

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

Informal consultations on agenda item 74 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)

Open-ended informal consultations on the draft resolution on agenda item 74 (b) (Sustainable fisheries) will be held on Monday, 15, and Tuesday, 16 November, and from Thursday, 18, to Tuesday, 23 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold its informal consultations (closed) on Friday, 12 November 2010, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

General Assembly

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations

Workshop

The Department of Field Support will hold an informal one-day workshop on modularization, for members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, on Friday, 12 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB). The workshop is part of the implementation of the global field support strategy of the Department for Field Support and is held in accordance with General Assembly resolution 64/266 (A/RES/64/266).

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East

The Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East will meet on Tuesday, 7 December 2010, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Fourth session

Liberia configuration

The Liberia configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission will hold its 1st meeting on Monday, 15 November 2010, from 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference room 2 (NLB).

Economic and Social Council
Informal "informal" consultations

Informal "informal" consultations, convened by the presidency of the Economic and Social Council (Malaysia) and facilitated by Mr. Zahid Rastam, on the draft decision contained in the report of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights on its forty-second and forty-third sessions (E/2010/22), will take place on Friday, 12 November 2010, from 12 noon to 1 p.m. in the Office of the President of the Economic and Social Council (NLB).

Commission on the Status of Women
Fifty-fifth session

Call for nominations of panellists for the fifty-fifth session of the Commission on the Status of Women

In preparation for the fifty-fifth session of the Commission on the Status of Women (22 February–4 March 2011), delegations are invited to propose names of expert panellists to participate in the two interactive panels on the priority theme "Access and participation of women and girls to education, training, science and technology, including for the promotion of women's equal access to full employment and decent work". Areas of expertise should include one of the following: (a) the link between women's education and employment; (b) women's participation in science and technology education and employment; (c) women's access to and use of technology; and (d) gender biases in scientific knowledge production and product design. Delegations are requested to submit names and curricula vitae outlining the specific expertise and experience of the proposed candidate in relation to the priority theme. Information should be sent to the Division for the Advancement of Women, part of UN Women (e-mail collete@un.org and ranola@un.org), *no later than Friday, 19 November 2010.*

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (under agenda item 69 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB);

Thursday, 18 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB); and

Friday, 19 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The United Nations system and global governance" (under agenda item 120) (convened by the delegations of Chile and Singapore)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe" (under agenda item 122 (h)) (convened by the delegations of The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Turkey)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel" (under agenda item 69) (convened by the delegation of the European Union)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB);

Monday, 15 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB);

Friday, 19 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB); and

Tuesday, 23 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/65/L.6, entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Collective Security Treaty Organization" (under agenda item 122 (f)) (convened by the delegation of the Russian Federation)

Monday, 15 November 2010, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Sustained, inclusive and equitable economic growth for poverty reduction and achievement of the Millennium Development Goals" (under agenda item 13) (convened by the delegations of the Republic of Korea and Thailand)

Monday, 15 November 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB); and

Thursday, 18 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Second Committee

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.29, entitled "Agriculture development and food security" (under agenda item 26) (convened by the delegation of Indonesia)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Division for Sustainable Development Conference Room (Two United Nations Plaza, Room DC2-2208); and

Tuesday, 16 November 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.24, entitled "Follow-up of the International Year of Sanitation, 2008" (under agenda item 20) (convened by the delegation of the Netherlands)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, at the Permanent mission of Netherlands (235 East 45th Street, 16th Floor).

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.8, entitled "Specific actions related to the particular needs and problems of landlocked developing countries: outcome of the International Ministerial Conference of Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation" (under agenda item 23 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Japan)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Permanent Mission of Japan (866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 230).

Informal "informal" consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States" (under agenda item 20 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Portugal)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.12, entitled "Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations convention against corruption" (under agenda item 22 (b)) (convened by the delegation of the United Republic of Tanzania)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.6, entitled "External debt sustainability and development" (under agenda item 18 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Suriname)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m., at the Permanent Mission of Finland (866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 222).

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.21, entitled "Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa" (under agenda item 20 (e)) (convened by the delegation of Kenya)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.28, entitled "Protection of coral reefs for sustainable livelihoods and development" (under agenda item 20) (convened by the delegation of Australia (on behalf of the Pacific States Group))

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.26, entitled "Towards the sustainable development of the Caribbean Sea for present and future generations" (under agenda item 20 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Japan)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 3 to 5 p.m., at the Permanent Mission of Japan (866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 230).

Informal "informal" consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/65/L.16 entitled "International Year of Quinoa, 2012" (under agenda item 26) (convened by the delegation of the Plurinational State of Bolivia)

Monday, 15 November 2010, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Third Committee

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.15, entitled "Strengthening the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity" (under agenda item 105) (convened by the delegation of Italy)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.46, entitled "Combating defamation of religions" (under agenda item 68 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Morocco (on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference))

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Informal consultations of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.16, entitled "International cooperation against the world drug problem" (under agenda item 106) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 3 to 4.30 in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.21, entitled "Rights of the child" (under agenda item 64 (a)) (convened by the delegations of Uruguay (on behalf of the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States) and Belgium (on behalf of the European Union))

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 4.30 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Monday, 15 November 2010, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Tuesday, 16 November 2010, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB);

Thursday, 18 November 2010, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB); and

Friday, 19 November 2010, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.43, entitled "Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism" (under agenda item 68 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

Tuesday, 16 November 2010, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

Other forthcoming meetings

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Non-Aligned Movement: Coordinating Bureau (at the ambassadorial level)

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

Non-Aligned Movement: Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations

Tuesday, 16 November 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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UNU Worldwide in New York Series on "Food systems and health in sub-Saharan Africa" (organized by the United Nations University Office in New York (UNU-ONY))

Friday, 12 November 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. To register and for further information, please visit <www.ony.unu.edu>; or contact Mr. Rodney Jehu-Appiah, UNU-ONY (e-mail jehu-appiah@unu.edu; tel. 1 (212) 963-6387).]

Evening prayer for the victims of the 31 October 2010 attack on Our Lady of Deliverance Syrian Catholic Church (organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See, the Eparchy of Our Lady of Deliverance of Newark (Syriac) and the Archdiocese of New York)

Friday 12 November 2010, at 6 p.m., at the Church of the Holy Family (315 East 47th Street).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See (e-mail office@holyseemission.org; tel. 1 (212) 370-7885).]

Special commemorative event to pay tribute to the late Secretary-General of the Union of South American Nations (UNASUR), H.E. Mr. Néstor Kirchner (organized by the Permanent Mission of Ecuador, in its capacity as President of UNASUR)

Monday, 15 November 2010, at 10 a.m. in the General Assembly Hall.

[The event will be presided by the President of the General Assembly with the participation of the Secretary-General. All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact H.E. Mr. Diego Morejón, Permanent Mission of Ecuador (e-mail onunewyork@mmrree.gov.ec; tel. 1 (212) 935-1680).]

Launch of the United Nations Academic Impact by the Secretary-General (organized by the Department of Public Information)

Thursday, 18 November 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please visit the following Web site: <www.academicimpact.org>; or contact Mr. Vikas Sharma, DPI (e-mail sharmav@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4629).]

Briefing on UNCTAD's *Least Developed Countries Report 2010* (organized by the New York Office of UNCTAD)

Monday, 22 November 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Jamuel Nalupta, UNCTAD (e-mail nalupta@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9114).]

Briefing by the Deputy Secretary-General on "The follow-up to General Assembly resolution 64/289 on system-wide coherence (A/RES/64/289)" (organized by the Office of the Deputy Secretary-General)

Wednesday, 24 November 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Sandar Soe, DESA (e-mail soe@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5765).]

Announcements

UNITAR Fellowship Programme at Columbia University Law School and UNITAR Visitor Programme at New York University School of Law

January–April 2011 (spring term)

Columbia University Law School, New York University School of Law and the United Nations Institute for Training and Research are pleased to invite delegates to the 2011 UNITAR Fellowship Programme and UNITAR Visitors Programme for diplomats accredited to the United Nations. For further information and registration, please visit the following Web site: <www.unitar.org/ny/international-law-and-policy/law-fellowship-at-nyu-columbia-university>; or contact Ms. Soukeyna Fall, UNITAR (e-mail falls@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).

United Nations Regional Course in International Law

Applications for the 2011 United Nations Regional Course in International Law, scheduled to be held at the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 7 to 25 February 2011, are now being accepted from candidates from Member States of the United Nations, which are also members of the regional group of African States. The deadline for applications is *Friday, 12 November 2010*.

The regional course will be conducted in English. For further information, including applications forms, please consult the Regional Course Web site at <www.un.org/law/rcil/africa>; or contact the Codification Division (e-mail rcil-africa@un.org).

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Access to back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*

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Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 9 November 2010

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

Main Committees

Third Committee

43rd meeting

Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [61]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.56

The representative of Sierra Leone introduced, on behalf of the African Group, the draft resolution and orally revised the text.

Haiti and Portugal joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Report of the Human Rights Council [63]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.57

The representative of Mali introduced the draft resolution.

The Russian Federation and Turkey joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.59

The representative of El Salvador introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Armenia, Belgium, Colombia, Ecuador, Greece, Honduras, Italy and Panama.

Albania, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Jamaica, Luxembourg, Montenegro, Portugal, Serbia and Slovenia joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance [66]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.50

The representative of the Russian Federation introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Angola, Benin, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Eritrea, Kyrgyzstan, Nicaragua, Uganda and Uzbekistan.

Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Cuba, Guinea and Zimbabwe joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.53

The Secretary orally corrected the list of sponsors of the draft resolution by adding Slovenia.

The representative of Slovenia introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Albania, Andorra, Bosnia and Herzegovina, the Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Romania and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

Azerbaijan, El Salvador, Georgia, Monaco and Thailand joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Right of peoples to self-determination [67]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.51

The representative of Pakistan introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as the Central African Republic, Kenya, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, the Niger and Somalia.

Angola, Benin, Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, Madagascar, Nicaragua, Saint Lucia, Senegal, Togo and Tunisia joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.52

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Armenia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, China, the Comoros, Côte d'Ivoire, Cyprus, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, El Salvador, Eritrea, Finland, France, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Latvia, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Monaco, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Switzerland and Viet Nam.

Albania, Angola, Botswana, the Congo, Croatia, Estonia, Ethiopia, Ghana, Grenada, Guinea, Guyana, India, Jamaica, Lesotho, Madagascar, Mali, Mozambique, the Republic of Moldova, Serbia, Sri Lanka, Suriname, Swaziland, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.54

The representative of Cuba introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as the Comoros, Iran (Islamic Republic of), the Lao People's Democratic Republic, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Namibia and Peru.

Angola, Egypt, Lesotho and Malaysia joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Promotion and protection of human rights [68]

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.30

The representative of France introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Andorra, Armenia, Belgium, Benin, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, El Salvador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Honduras, Japan, Kazakhstan, Madagascar, Malta, Montenegro, the Netherlands, Norway, Panama, the Republic of Moldova, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Slovenia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Vanuatu.

Benin, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Cameroon, Iceland, Ireland, Jordan, Latvia, Lithuania, Mali, the Niger, Serbia and Togo joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.31

The representative of Azerbaijan introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Andorra, Australia, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Ethiopia, Guatemala, Hungary, Italy, Liechtenstein, Madagascar, the Netherlands, Poland, Serbia, Switzerland and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Armenia, Bulgaria, Lithuania, Montenegro, Qatar, Romania and Senegal joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.32

The Secretary read out oral corrections to the draft resolution.

The representative of Belgium introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the European Union, as well as Argentina, Bosnia and Herzegovina, El Salvador, Georgia, Japan, Monaco, the Republic of Moldova, Slovakia and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

Angola, Armenia, Benin, Guatemala, Madagascar, Paraguay, Peru and San Marino joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.33

The representative of Colombia introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Panama, Peru and Uruguay.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.36

The representative of Peru introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Australia, Belgium, China, Cuba, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Malaysia, Mongolia, the Netherlands, Norway, Pakistan, the Republic of Moldova, Thailand, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Algeria, Armenia, Belarus, Benin, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Bulgaria, Cambodia, Cameroon, the Congo, the Czech Republic, Egypt, Estonia, Ethiopia, Georgia, Grenada, India, Indonesia, Jamaica, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Mali, Papua New Guinea, Qatar, Romania, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia, Sri Lanka, Swaziland, Tunisia, Turkey, the United Arab Emirates and Zimbabwe joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.38

The Secretary read out a correction to the draft resolution.

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as the Comoros, Côte d'Ivoire, Madagascar, Maldives, Mali and Rwanda.

Grenada, Lesotho and Uganda joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.43

The representative of Mexico introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Albania, Armenia, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Ireland, Israel, Montenegro, Peru, Serbia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the United States of America and Uruguay.

Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, El Salvador, Estonia, Iceland, Mali, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Nicaragua, Paraguay, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovakia and The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Social development [27]

(b) Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.12/Rev.1

The Secretary corrected the list of sponsors on the draft resolution by adding Norway.

On behalf of the sponsors listed, the representative of the United Republic of Tanzania, made a statement, in which he announced that Benin, Cameroon, the Congo, Costa Rica, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Equatorial Guinea, Japan, Lebanon, Mongolia, Qatar, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia, Uruguay and Zambia had joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Albania, Azerbaijan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burkina Faso, Canada, Colombia, the Comoros, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Georgia, Grenada, Honduras, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Jamaica, Jordan, Kenya, Latvia, Lesotho, Malawi, Maldives, Mali, Montenegro, Morocco, Nicaragua, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, the Republic of Korea, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Sri Lanka, the Sudan, Swaziland, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, Uzbekistan and Zimbabwe joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.12/Rev.1.

Advancement of women [28]

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.7

The Chair informed the Committee that, in light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.55 at the 41st meeting on 4 November, document A/C.3/65/L.7 was withdrawn.

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.18/Rev.1

The representative of the Benin orally corrected the text and announced that Belarus, Belize, Bhutan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, the Philippines, Samoa, Vanuatu and Yemen had joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Afghanistan, Cambodia, Iraq, Micronesia (Federated States of), Nepal, the Russian Federation and Trinidad and Tobago joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Statements were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Chile and Côte d'Ivoire.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.18/Rev.1.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, statements were made by the representative of Saint Lucia and the observer for the Holy See.

Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [61]

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.58

The representative of Sweden made a statement.

Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belize, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burundi, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, the Czech Republic, Djibouti, the Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Honduras, Italy, Jamaica, Madagascar, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), Morocco, New Zealand, the Philippines, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Sri Lanka, the Sudan, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, the United States of America, Uruguay and Zambia joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.3/65/L.58.

Organization of work

The Chair made a statement.

The Secretary made a statement.

Wednesday, 10 November 2010

Security Council

6418th meeting *The situation concerning Iraq*

Third report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 3 of resolution 1905 (2009) (S/2010/563)

Note verbale dated 28 October 2010 from the Permanent Mission of Iraq to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2010/567)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Iraq, Mr. Abdul Basit Turky Saed, Head of the Committee of Financial Experts of Iraq, at his request, to participate in the consideration without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Jun Yamazaki, Controller of the United Nations.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard briefings by Mr. Yamazaki and Mr. Turky Saed.

6419th meeting (closed) *The situation concerning Iraq*

Third report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 3 of resolution 1905 (2009) (S/2010/563)

Note verbale dated 28 October 2010 from the Permanent Mission of Iraq to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2010/567)

The Security Council met in private. At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

"At its 6419th meeting, held in private on 10 November 2010, the Security Council considered the item entitled 'The situation concerning Iraq'.

"Pursuant to the decision taken at the 6418th meeting, the President recognized the presence of Mr. Abdul Basit Turky Saed, Head of the Committee of Financial Experts of Iraq, at the Council table, in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

"The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Australia, Bahrain, Belgium, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Finland, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Malaysia, the Netherlands, the Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, Switzerland and the Syrian Arab Republic, at their request, to participate in the consideration without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

"Pursuant to the decision taken at the 6418th meeting, the President recognized the presence at the Council table of Mr. Jun Yamazaki, Controller of the United Nations, in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

"The members of the Council, Mr. Yamazaki and Mr. Turky Saed had an exchange of views."

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

15th meeting

The President of the General Assembly addressed the Committee.

Administration of justice at the United Nations [140]

The Committee began its consideration of this agenda item.

The Executive Director of the Office of Administration of Justice introduced the report of the Secretary-General (A/65/373 and A/65/373/Corr.1).

The Assistant Secretary-General, United Nations Ombudsman, introduced the report of the Secretary-General (A/65/303).

The Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/65/557).

The Chair drew attention to the report of the Internal Justice Council on Administration of justice at the United Nations (A/65/304) and to a letter dated 27 October 2010 from the President of the General Assembly addressed to the Chair of the Fifth Committee (A/C.5/65/9).

A statement was made by the Vice-President of the Staff-Management Coordination Committee.

Statements were made by the representatives of Yemen (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Belgium (on behalf of the European Union; the candidate countries Croatia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Iceland; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia; as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Armenia, which aligned themselves with the statement), New Zealand (also on behalf of Australia and Canada), Switzerland (also on behalf of Liechtenstein), the United States, India, Qatar and the Republic of Korea.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion on this agenda item.

The Chair informed the Committee that informal consultations on this agenda item would begin on that day, Wednesday, 10 November, following the adjournment of the formal meeting, in Conference Room 5 (NLB), and would be coordinated by Mr. Carlos G. Ruiz Massieu (Mexico).

Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors [127]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item.

The Committee had before it draft resolution A/C.5/65/L.6, which had been coordinated by the representative of Egypt, on behalf of the Chair.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, without a vote.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, the Auditor-General of the Republic of South Africa and Chair of the United Nations Board of Auditors made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded this stage of its consideration of this agenda item.

Pattern of conferences [132]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item.

The Committee had before it draft resolution A/C.5/65/L.7, which had been coordinated by the representative of Senegal, on behalf of the Chair.

Before the decision on draft resolution, the representative of Senegal, coordinator of the informal consultations, made a statement.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded this stage of its consideration of this agenda item.

General Assembly

Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People

327th meeting

The Chair made a statement on a number of activities which had taken place since the previous meeting of the Committee.

The situation in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and developments in the political process

The Permanent Observer of Palestine made a statement.

Ms. Amira Hass, journalist with the Israeli daily newspaper "Haaretz", made a statement.

The Chair made a statement.

Consideration of the draft resolutions on the question of Palestine

The Chair introduced draft resolutions entitled "Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People", "Division for Palestinian Rights", "Special information programme on the question of Palestine of the Department of Public Information of the Secretariat" and "Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine".

The Committee approved the draft resolutions.

Other matters

The Chair made a statement on the upcoming activities of the Committee.

The representative of the Organization of the Islamic Conference made a statement.

Economic and Social Council

Resumed substantive session for 2010

50th meeting — *Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters* [1]

The Council resumed its consideration of the item.

Election of 41 members of the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women

The President made a statement.

The representative of the Philippines made a statement.

The Secretary read out the list of candidates.

Election from the regional groups

The Council elected the following ten members from African States, by acclamation: Angola, Cape Verde, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Ethiopia, Lesotho, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Nigeria and United Republic of Tanzania.

The Council elected the following five members from Western European and other States, by acclamation: Denmark, France, Italy, Luxembourg and Sweden.

The Council proceeded to elect ten members from Asian States, four members from Eastern European States and six members from Latin American and Caribbean States, by secret ballot.

Rinchyenmyadag Shagdar (Mongolia), Odete Enosse (Mozambique), Annie Brillo (Philippines), Dariusz Gumieniczek (Poland), Eva Šurková (Slovakia) and Mariaelena Anzola (Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela) served as tellers.

The results of the secret ballot were as follows:

Asian States	*Votes*
Bangladesh	54
China	53
Indonesia	53
Japan	53
Republic of Korea	53
India	52
Kazakhstan	52
Malaysia	52
Pakistan	50
Timor-Leste	36
Islamic Republic of Iran	19
Philippines	1

Having obtained the required majority, Bangladesh, China, India, Indonesia, Japan, Kazakstan, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Republic of Korea and Timor-Leste were declared elected.

Eastern European States	*Votes*
Russian Federation	46
Ukraine	43

Estonia	42
Hungary	38
Albania	35
Armenia	1

Having obtained the required majority, Estonia, Hungary, the Russian Federation and Ukraine were declared elected.

Latin American and Caribbean States	*Votes*
Brazil	48
Argentina	47
Peru	47
Dominican Republic	44
El Salvador	40
Grenada	39
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	38
Chile	1

Having obtained the required majority, Argentina, Brazil, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Grenada and Peru were declared elected.

The following 41 States were thus elected members of the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women: Angola, Argentina, Bangladesh, Brazil, Cape Verde, China, the Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Estonia, Ethiopia, France, Grenada, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Lesotho, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Mexico, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Peru, the Republic of Korea, the Russian Federation, Saudi Arabia, Spain, Sweden, Timor-Leste, Ukraine, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the United Republic of Tanzania and the United States of America.

In accordance with Council resolution 2010/35 of 25 October 2010 and by drawing of lots, the following seventeen countries were elected for a two-year term of office beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2012: Argentina, Bangladesh, Brazil, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, El Salvador, Estonia, France, India, Italy, Lesotho, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Pakistan, Russian Federation, Timor-Leste and United Republic of Tanzania.

The following eighteen countries were elected for a three-year term of office beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2013: Angola, Cape Verde, China, Congo, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ethiopia, Grenada, Hungary, Indonesia, Japan, Kazakhstan, Luxembourg, Nigeria, Peru, Republic of Korea, Sweden and Ukraine.

Election of the contributing countries

The Council elected as members the following four contributing countries, in accordance with paragraph 61 (a) of General Assembly resolution 64/289 (A/RES/64/289), by acclamation: Norway, Spain, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Council elected as members the following two contributing countries, in accordance with paragraph 61 (b) of General Assembly resolution 64/289, by acclamation: Mexico and Saudi Arabia.

In accordance with Council resolution 2010/35 of 25 October 2010, Mexico, Norway, Saudi Arabia, Spain, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America were elected to serve for a three-year term of office beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2013.

The President made a statement.

Theme for the thematic discussion of the high-level segment of the 2011 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council

The President made a statement.

The Council decided that the theme for the thematic discussion of the high-level segment of its 2011 substantive session would be "Current global and national trends and challenges and their impact on education".

Social and human rights questions. United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees [14 (e)]

The Council resumed its consideration of the item.

Introduction and action on draft decision E/2010/L.41

The representative of the Congo introduced the draft decision.

The Council was informed that the draft decision contained no programme budget implications.

The Council adopted the draft decision.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General

Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities. New York, 13 December 2006

Accession: Turkmenistan (10 November 2010)[1]

Agreement concerning the Adoption of Uniform Technical Prescriptions for Wheeled Vehicles, Equipment and Parts which can be fitted and/or be used on Wheeled Vehicles and the Conditions for Reciprocal Recognition of Approvals Granted on the Basis of these Prescriptions. Geneva, 20 March 1958

Accession: Kazakhstan (9 November 2010)[1]

[1] Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *November 2010* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Mali
H.E. Mr. Oumar Daou

Asian States:
India
H.E. Mr. Hardeep Singh Puri

Eastern European States:
Czech Republic
H.E. Mr. Martin Palouš

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Uruguay
H.E. Mr. José Luis Cancela

Western European and other States:
Finland
H.E. Mr. Jarmo Viinanen

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